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Attorney Docket Number

Pillar 715

First Named Inventor

David Alan Burton

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Application Number

10/696,327

Filing Date

October 28, 2003

Art Unit

2154

Examiner Name

Unknown

**I hereby declare that:**

Each inventor's residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to their name.

I believe the inventor(s) named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Data Replication in Data Storage Systems

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which



is attached hereto

OR



was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY)

October 28, 2003

as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number

10/696,327

and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY)

(if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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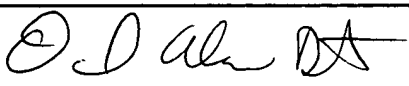
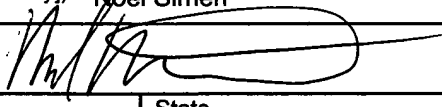
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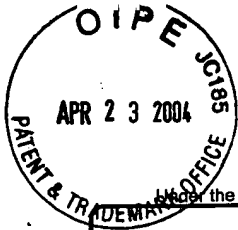
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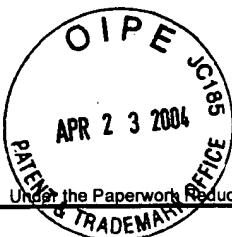
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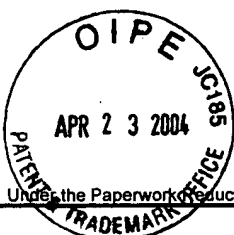
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